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TELEGRAPHIC.

CHAMBERLAIN AND THE BOERS.
The Boers presented Chamberlain with an address wishing to see the constabulary abolished. He held out no hope to them.

VENEZUELA WILL SUBMIT.
Venezuela will agree to the terms of the powers.

MIRY FAILURE IN TORONTO.
A Toronto firm, McFarlane, Gray & Southgate, wholesale clothing manufacturers, have failed for \$144,000.

A HORSE MEAT BANQUET.
The most remarkable banquet that has ever been given in Berlin took place last night. Six hundred people sat down. The dishes consisted entirely of horse meat, and were served in various forms under the auspices of a humane organization.

PLAGUE IN SAN FRANCISCO.
Rats may carry bubonic plague through San Francisco.

SCOTCH CURLERS.
Losing their grip.
The Scottish curlers were defeated by the laddies of Quebec.

GENERAL.
Insurrection is rife in China.
The lake terminal elevators are full.
Little's majority in North Norfolk is 101.

Anthracite prices continue to soar in New York.
Fifteen year old boy robbed, Canadian mail bags.

British trade shows a marked increase for the past year.
The carmen's strike in Barcelona has resulted in serious riots.

Three people were killed and several injured in an Ohio wreck.
Lord Curzon reviewed 30,000 Indian troops led by Lord Kitchener.

Canadians in the South African constabulary dislike English officers.
The murderer of a Canadian missionary has been found in a Tokyo prison.

Another railroad is projected to tap the west, exploited by American capital.
HOCKEY TO-NIGHT.
The second game of the Calgary Brewing cap will be played on Strathcona rink to-night between Edmonton and Strathcona hockey teams. Two games out of three wins the cup. As Strathcona won the first game it is anticipated that a fast game will be played to-night.

Arrangements have been made for a special train on the E. Y. & P. The train will leave Edmonton at 7:30 sharp and wait at Strathcona till after the match. Game to commence at eight p. m.

EDMONTON PUBLIC HOSPITAL.
Donations for December:
Buck flour—Morinville Milling Co.
Half dozen chickens—Mrs. Corbett.
Horse bills.
Two dollars—Mrs. Protheroe, Edmonton.

Christmas cake—Mrs. Fred Ross.
Turkey—Vogel & Tomlinson.
Two turkeys—a friend.
Xmas hamper, chickens, fish, preserves, old port, &c.—Hudson's Bay store.
Pair pillows—Lucy and Flossie O'Leary.
Case apples, 2 boxes Jap. oranges—Scoullon—Hallier & Aldridge.
Turkey—Mrs. Graydon.
Case apples—J. Whitelaw.
Ham—Mrs. W. A. Brewster.
Box oranges—Mrs. H. C. Taylor.
Pair turkeys—Gallagher-Hull Co.
Four bottles wine—Mrs. Smith.
Home made bread—Mrs. Dews.
Turkey and pair chickens—A friend.
Turkey—Mrs. Keith, Clover Bar.
Habit cloth—Mrs. R. J. Manson.
Ten dollars—J. Gainer, Strathcona.
Five dollars—A friend.
Two dollars—Friends of hospital.
R. Scord, M. L. A.—cheque for \$25.

EDMONTON TRADE.
Cars arrived since Saturday:
Wire for Revillon Freres.
Lumber, Clark & Co.
Oil, J. Ross & Co.
Oil, Ross Bros.
Flour, H. B. Co.
Lard, Clark & Co.
Groceries, H. B. Co.
Shoes, Ross Bros.
Sundries, Cottage Dr.
Saw cars.
Total.
Outgoing.
Sundries, Strathcona.
House, Dowling mill to Tacoma.
Cuts, Paquette to East Hereford, Quebec.
May cars.
Total.

LOCAL.

—Train left Red Deer on time.
—Old Timers Ball Friday night, the 10th.

—John Ross & Co. are loading a car of oats for Kootenay to-day.

—S. Gray, immigration agent at Lethbridge is in town to-day.

—Ross Bros. are installing an elevator in their new warehouse to-day.

—Alex. Thomas, editor of the "Edmonton Advertiser," is in town to-day.

—Roads are good but slippery, and there are many pitch holes.

—The first building of Fisher & Band's new brewery at the foot of the hill is nearing completion.

—W. J. Webster, of the Edmonton woolen mills, left last week on a business trip to Ontario.

—Township meeting for 53-21 will be held on Monday, Jan. 19th, at 10 a. m. at the residence of Mr. E. J. Just, S. E. 1-1-19.

—Building operations are going on briskly in town. Several new houses have been started during the week. The metal roof is being put on Ross Bros. new warehouse.

—Mrs. Pace, wife of W. J. Pace, superintendent of the Edmonton, Yukon & Pacific railway, and children, arrived on Wednesday from Vancouver, to reside in Edmonton.

—Court is sitting to-day. The case of Kelly vs. Pagrie is being continued. Messrs. Beck and Short appear for the respective contestants.

—The subject of Pastor McDonald's address on Sunday evening at the Baptist church will be "Uncrowned Kingship."
—J. Armstrong, locating engineer for the C. N. R., began work yesterday on a line from the present railway station up the hill to the level of the town.

—The national hall held last night in Robertson Hall was a decided success. About 75 couples attended. The hall was very tastefully decorated with bunting. Lunch was served at one o'clock. Charles Armstrong furnished excellent music and a most enjoyable evening was spent by all.

—Calgary Herald, The C. P. R. have granted a single fare for round trip to Calgary and the public generally coming to Calgary during the bonspiel week, which commences on the 27th of January (weather permitting). This rate applies from any points between Edmonton and Macleod, including Lethbridge, and from Revelstoke, B.C. to Danvers Junction. Tickets will be on sale from the 26th to the 29th, both inclusive, and good to return the day after the bonspiel is over.

THE MARKETS.
Nothing new to report in prices. Wheat deliveries continue, and the quality is good, 58c being the top price but 60c is said to have been paid for some extra choice loads. It is believed that over half the wheat crop has been delivered.
Very light deliveries in oats and prices remain 20c to 23c. No idea can be formed as to how much oats is in the district for sale, or what price would be needed to bring them out. Farmers are simply holding.
Hay is plentiful at \$5 to \$5.
Fresh eggs are scarce at 35c.
Butter is fairly plentiful at 15c to 16c.

WHEATERS.
Max. Min.
Thursday 16 -3
Friday 4

MARRIAGES.
Strouger-Troughon.—At the parsonage, Edmonton, on Thursday evening, Jan. 8th, by the Rev. T. C. Buchanan, Arthur Ernest Strouger, of Vegreville, to Laura Josephine Troughon, of St. Thomas, Ontario.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
INSTRUCTION IN THE GERMAN LANGUAGE.
The pastor of the German Lutheran church in Strathcona, Rev. Gustav Poesgen, is willing to give instruction in the German language to all children in Edmonton, whose parents are desirous that their children become conversant in that language and familiar with its pronunciation and orthography. All desiring to send their children will kindly send word to Mr. R. Matz. The fee will be regulated according to the size of the class. Please, report before the end of next week.
REV. G. POESGEN.

CARETAKER WANTED.
For All Saint's church. Apply to 5-11.
REV. H. A. GRAY.

WANTED.
To rent at once furnished or unfurnished house. Apply at Bulletin Office.

Prof. Hepburn.
Begs to announce that he has arranged with Mr. H. Sigler, of the Grandview Hotel to sell tickets for his dancing class and that all lessons thus paid are guaranteed by Mr. Sigler or money will be returned. This is done to protect an unsuspecting public. Join the class at once and get the benefit of the full course. The remaining 12 lessons \$10.00 for gentlemen, and \$6.00 for ladies. One half payable in advance. One lesson \$1.00; class Friday, the 9th, and beginning next week every Tuesday and Thursday evening (afternoons reserved for ladies and children). Special inducements when a club of 5 or more join at the same time.
5-6c.

FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL.
Thursday, January 15th.
Arrangements are now being made for the First Grand Carnival on the New Whistle Rink.
See Later Announcement.

LOST.
A cheque on the Imperial Bank for \$6.30 in favour of Charlie Brenton, signed by G. J. Kinnaird, treasurer of Presbyterian church, Kinross, please return.
LOST.
A purse containing sum of money. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Bulletin office.
3-6p.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED
A large consignment of Huntley & Palmer's famous Reading Biscuits

These Biscuits are a selection of their best kinds, including some entirely new kinds, such as
Coronation
Folkestone
Nice
Algeria
Ice Creams (assorted)
Phillipines
Cambridge
Etc. Etc.

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Fruiters and Confectioners.

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High Grade Dentistry at Eastern prices. Painless extraction of teeth, etc. All work guaranteed. Office next door to Imperial Bank, Edmonton.

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President, GEORGE GOODERHAM
First Vice-President and Managing Director, J. HERBERT MASON
Second Vice-President, W. E. BEATTY

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INVESTED FUNDS, \$2,000,000.

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MUNICIPAL, School and other Debentures purchased.
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MANAGER EDMONTON BRANCH.



Furniture.
We carry a stock of Furniture from the "Commonwealth Kitchen Furniture" to the high-class drawing room art goods, at prices that are not equalled west of Winnipeg. You ask how do you do that? There is no secret about it. This is how we do it.
On Dec. 19th, we unloaded one car from Seattle, Springs and Mattresses.
On Dec. 14th, one car kitchen Chairs, Table and Cabinets.
On Dec. 17th, one car Bedroom, Dressing and Bathing.
On Dec. 20th, one car Library and Drawing Room Furniture.
And buying in such quantities means buying at cheaper prices. These are red hot times and we are warmed up for the occasion, and are bound to have our trade and hold it.

J. T. BLOWEY.
EDMONTON STRATHCONA.

TO CURLERS

We are showing a very large range of Sweaters. You should wear one when Curling. They are warmer and handier than an overcoat. We have them in all colors and in all qualities.

Blue and White Stripes, All Wool \$1.00
Heavier Wool in Plain Colors \$1.25

Fine Worsted Wool, Fancy, Each \$2.00

Extra Fine Soft Wool in Black and Blue, Black and Green, Cardinal and Black \$2.25

The Best of Groceries at the lowest possible Prices always on hand.

John W. Morris
McLeod Block.



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To make a lengthy call at our store to view our display of beautiful Dining Room Furniture.
Handsome Golden Oak Sideboards.
Pretty Hysteria.
Cover or Square China Cabinets.
Round or Square Tables.
Chairs to match, carved or plain.
Dinner Wagon, West design.
The largest, best and cheapest stock we have ever had the pleasure to show.
Mcintosh & Campbell
FOR FINE FURNITURE.
EDMONTON, ALBERTA.

WANTED.
Men for brush at once. Apply to 10-11.
D. R. FRASER & CO.

Worth Investigating.

New House on Jasper avenue, at \$700.
Choice Building Lots in all desirable parts of the town.
Several good propositions in Main street property.
A suite of fine offices to rent at a reasonable figure.
If you are interested it will pay you to investigate.

The Great West Land Company
P. O. Box 168, Edmonton.

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Comes with advancing years, but can be cleared by properly fitted glasses. Spectacles are our specialty. When we fit them, they give satisfaction. Eyes examined free.

G. H. Graydon,
DRUGGIST AND OPTICIAN,
Edmonton, Alberta.

Sacrifice Sale
—OF—
200 Men's suits.
165 Boys' 3-piece suits.
125 Youths' 2 & 3 piece suits.
20 per cent. discount during January
Special discount on all Boots and Shoes.
Balance of Furs at special discount.
JOHN I. MILLS, Edmonton.

See Here
BUSINESS MEN
a word with you:
The building boom will soon be on again, when our factory will be loaded with orders for all kinds of mill work. Perhaps you will think then of the improvements you require in your store and office, and will not be able to get the work done.
But if you will place your order with us now we can take care of them. We can supply at the lowest cost Counters, Shelving, Store Tables, Office Desks—anything you may require in this line.
And remember also that we still give careful attention to all orders for Doors, Windows and Stock Lumber of all kinds.
1903
Is here, and with the New Year I wish to announce again the efficiency of my Repair Department.
It is with great satisfaction I notice the advance of this branch of my business, and there can be no doubt that such success is due in a great measure to my efforts to make each piece of work, no matter how small, satisfactory.
Thanking my patrons for past favors I wish all
A Happy New Year
A. Bruce Powley
JEWELER
Take in charge of C. P. H. Watch Inspection at Hamilton.

Merchants Bank
OF CANADA.
HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL.
Capital Paid Up, \$6,000,000.
Reserve Fund, \$2,700,000.
EDMONTON BRANCH
Interest allowed on Deposits.
A general banking business transacted.
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SPECIAL SALE
We have too many of a line of Men's Felt lined Shoes. This line must go at hurry-up prices.
\$2.00 per Pair for only \$1.50
This is a good solid leather Shoe, with heavy Felt lining. Buckled or oiled. All sizes in stock, from 6 to 10.
Even after the price opening price.
\$2.00 Shoes for \$1.50
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Daily Edmonton Bulletin.

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Delivery by carrier, per 3 months, \$1.
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Strictly in advance.

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Wants, or Lost or Found, 3 weeks, \$1.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 1903.

A LATE AND BUSY SESSION

It is to be regretted for many reasons that parliament is not likely to meet until March. There is an immense amount of important business to come before it at the approaching session and the longer the assembly is delayed the longer the business is delayed. Some of this business is to consider the extension of the railway to the coast, but the greater part is from the rapid development and improved conditions of the past few years.

The confederation act requires a re-distribution of the representation by provinces on the basis of each ten years census. The plan as laid down in the act is that Quebec retains 65 representatives. The total population of Quebec divided by 65 gives the number of people who in each of the other provinces are entitled to a representative in the house of commons. Under this system if the population of Quebec increases more rapidly than that of the other provinces their representation is decreased. If their population increases more rapidly than that of Quebec their representation is increased. The census discloses that the maritime provinces and Ontario have increased less rapidly than Quebec, while Manitoba, the Northwest British Columbia and the Yukon have increased much more rapidly. Eastern representation is therefore decreased and western representation increased. So much is fixed by the act. But the difficulty and delay will come when the decreased representation comes to be apportioned in the eastern provinces. Local and political jealousies will have full swing and may be depended upon to take up a very large share of the time of the session.

That the railway extension are the two other most important subjects likely to come up, and either one may very well occupy a great deal of time. The manufacturers evidently intend an organized rail. All that threats or lavish expenditure and still more lavish promises can do will be done to secure an increase in the tribute to be paid by the great producing industries to the single industry of manufacturing.

It is a hopeful sign that railway companies are anxious to secure a share in the division of the Northwest. For many years the C.P.R. was looked upon and felt itself unfortunate in having on and off the Northwest track and lands on their hands. But now when other companies are anxious to relieve them of some of the responsibility of furnishing accommodation to the boundless prairies, it becomes another story. The signs are that the coming session will see a battle of the giants for possession of the Northwest. Of course the settler, the actual inhabitant, who produces the traffic and pays the dividends of the railways in freight rates does not count, and is not expected to have anything to say. His duty is merely to work and pay while the railway companies dispute about the division of profits.

Any one of the three subjects mentioned above would give enough business for an ordinary session. But the three crowded into one, with all the ordinary business which the rapid growth of a great country creates, will certainly give the legislators a lengthy as well as a busy session.

Rates on the Intercolonial

The references to rates on the Canadian government railway made by Mr. Brock and Mr. Bethune at the recent meeting of the board of trade are illustrated not only by the statistics presented by these gentlemen, but also by the following letter recently written by Mr. A. McDonald to a local contemporary:

According to your Ottawa dispatch of the 31st, the minister of railways announces that the net surplus of earnings on the Intercolonial railway for the past year was \$86,922. Not so bad for government ownership. I see from the returns made to parliament by the Intercolonial railway that wheat was carried on a through bill of lading from Montreal to St. John, a distance of 740 miles, for a little less than 30c a bushel. Compare this with the rates charged by our western railways, built and equipped with the people's money. (Local rates; about lake to Winnipeg, 17c

miles, 17-12 cents per 100 pounds, through rate, Winnipeg to Port William, 437 miles, 12 cents per 100.

What makes the contrast stronger is that the Intercolonial was not built primarily for commercial purposes. Its route was laid out in accord with military and political considerations. In consequence it runs through territory where railway construction is costly and where for the most part there is little freight produced or consumed. Moreover, the route it follows is about as unfavorable for the obtaining of through traffic as could be devised. Add to this that the heavy snow-fall and severe climate of the Rimouski section result in exceptional cost of operation. One might almost as well expect a man-of-war to pay expenses by carrying freight, as a military railway. But it happens that this military railway not only pays its way, or comes near doing, but also gives much lower rates than we have to pay on our cheaply constructed prairie roads, with their large volume of traffic.

It is true the Intercolonial railway does not pay interest on the debt. It is also true that the people of Canada have given to private railway corporations much more than the whole cost of the Intercolonial, and that these corporations do not pay interest on their subsidies. But apart from that, the people of Manitoba could easily pay the whole interest on the cost of the Intercolonial twice over every year out of what they would make by getting such rates as Mr. Macdonald has quoted.

TRANSIENT ADVERTISEMENTS.

STEER ESTRAY.

Last winter and also this winter strayed into my premises a young red-brown steer, ears half frozen off. No brand. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and remove.

A. HAGER.

Namayo Ave., Edmonton.

HORSES FOR SALE.

A car of well broken horses weighing from 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., will arrive about Dec. 20th, at our stable, Fraser Avenue, and will be sold at prices to suit. Don't fail to see them.

11-11. ROSS & PERRY.

Lost between Strathcona and Edmonton on Dec. 12th, 8 head of cattle, as follows: 3 cows rising 5 years old 2 being red and fat and 1 a red point; 1 light colored heifer rising 2 years; 2 red yearling heifers, 1 black yearling heifer, and one light roan steer. All have horns no brand. Anyone giving information leading to recovery will be suitably rewarded.

18-11. CLAUDE BROS.

NOTICE.

The Great North West Central Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for the passing of an act extending the time within which it may finish the construction of its railway.

By order of the board,

H. CAMPBELL OSWALD,

Secretary.

Montreal, 13th Nov., 1902. 8-25c.

WANTED.

Position as housekeeper on a ranch, by widow accustomed to large farm house in Wales. Write with particulars to

MRS. MAGNUS H. SCOTT,
Brandon P.O., Man.

Tenders will be received up to noon, 12 a.m., January 31st, 1903, for River Lot 20, P. S. Saskatchewan, settlement, survey, comprising 91 acres, more or less, beautifully situated on North Bank, facing south on Saskatchewan river, opposite N. W. M. Police Barracks. Tender to be addressed to A. McDONALD, Care of W. S. ROBERTSON, Edmonton.

Terms cash on production of title 102-5c.

TEACHER WANTED.

Teacher for Glengarry Roman Catholic Public School District, No. 41, holding a first or second class certificate. Duties to commence at once. For particulars address

ANGUS McDONALD,

Chairman,

19-24p. Rye, Alta.

ROOMS TO RENT.

Furnished or unfurnished. Apply at old police barracks, Fraser Avenue.

MRS. McDONALD.

NOTICE.

The Eolian Vocal Quartette are prepared for all public, church and private entertainments.

W. F. BODDY.

HELP WANTED.

I require with what I have, one Jack Spinner, two Weavers, one girl for Spooler, two boys, I also want two or three girls to learn to weave. Apply at Woolen Mills.

W. J. WEBSTER.

Edmonton, Nov. 20, 1902. 616c.

GOAL

Furnace and Stove.

For Sale at the Mine. Leave

orders at Douglas' Book

Store, for Delivery in town.

Phone 120.

O. H. BUSH & SON.

CLEARING SALE at the HUDSON'S BAY STORE. You know from past experience what that means when we advertise Bargains, We give BARGAINS. We have now put clearing prices on everything in stock in Furs, Ladies Cloth Jackets and Capes, Silk Waists, Flannel and Cashmere Blouses. These are all new Up-To-Date goods, but we must have room for new stock and we don't want a single Blouse left over, to be offered as old stock next fall. In addition to the foregoing, we will clear some Remnants, Dress Trimmings, Ladies' Heavy Combination Underwear, Men's Overcoats, Felt Boots, Etc., Etc. **WALL PAPER AT HALF PRICE.** To make room for the Immense Shipment now in transit, all present Stock must be cleared. Anything in stock at 20 percent discount; Numerous small lots at half price. **THE HUDSON'S BAY STORES, EDMONTON.**

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New Departmental Store.

REVILLON FRERES

GROCERIES.

A car load of fresh groceries just arrived.

FIGS

Very choice Table Figs.
Extra choice Pulled Figs.
Cooking Figs in abundance.

TEAS and COFFEES.

Of the very best brands.

BISCUITS.

Huntly & Palmer's Biscuits, direct from London.
These are the choicest goods on the market.

CIGARS and TOBACCOS

Of the best brands. A full stock of all kinds.

Hams and Bacon (Star brand)

Canned Fruits (Bowlby Bros.)

PICKLES.

In quart, gallon and five gallon jars.

Potted Olives

Put up by "Au Gourmet." This is very fine goods.

Soups.

Franco-American Soups of all kinds.

Raisins.

Layers in pound cartoons. Choice quality.

Ketchup

In pint, quart and gallon tins.

Preserves

In jars, in quarters and halves.

Provisions.

All the requisites in provisions.

ALL DEPARTMENTS COMPLETE.

REVILLON FRERES

Edmonton, - Alberta.

Tariff Revision

In an article on possible tariff revision the Regina Standard discussing the position of the liberal party says: "The Northwest in common with the whole Dominion, reiterated in 1900, with renewed and much stronger force the opinions expressed at the polls in 1896, and contained in the general platform of 1893. The province of Quebec was most signal in its support of 'tariff reform' and reduced taxation. Practically the entire representation was for the government. It was a solid Quebec. Montreal, the commercial metropolis, joined in the common verdict. Three liberals were elected in that city with immense majorities to support the government policy."

But now we are coolly told that a monster delegation from that city will infest the lobbies at the next sitting of parliament, "before the budget is delivered," ostensibly to help the government frame that budget along the lines of high protection. It will be a monster deputation on a monstrous mission. "A persistent effort will be made to convince Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Mr. Fielding and other members of the government that a high tariff is absolutely necessary to the prospects of the Dominion." In other words an effort will be made to force the liberal leaders into a flagrant breach of trust and confidence; to the absolute repudiation of the principles on which the government came twice elected. Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Fielding had better count the cost. In spite of the boast that the monster deputation will be a formidable array of wealth and influence, Sir Wilfrid had better prepare to give them the cold shake. There are others.

We have no desire to prejudice the government in this connection or to anticipate its course. One thing, however, Sir Wilfrid and his government may count upon; if protection is to be perpetuated against the will of the people we should prefer to have it under the administration of those who believe in it rather than at the hands of weaklings who would swallow their own principles and stifle public opinion at the bidding of a monster deputation.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Queen's-Geo. G. Clark, C. Z. Ferguson, Bottineau, N. D.; J. McDonald, Louis Derval; Chas. E. Stewart, W. Valcore, Mrs. A. Beckett, Fort Saskatchewan; W. Pelletier, W. Prentiss, Winnipeg; S. Gray, Lethbridge; Mrs. Dr. Rush, Mrs. Smith, Toronto; A. Lamarche, St. Emile; J. B. Vanalstine, Millet; O. Gomo, F. Coma, P. Constantine, L. Brouil, Riviere Qui Barre, Jasper; T. Krouse, W. Krouse, Spruce Grove; J. Becker and son, Fort Saskatchewan; Chas. Bowien, Thos. Elliott, C. Fraser, town; A. H. Cameron, Ray.

Alberta-J. W. Windrum, Hugh W. Niver, Winnipeg; H. F. McBeath, Sam Vila, Hamilton; Norman J. Dinnen, Montreal; J. B. Eager, Toronto; R. J. Hutchings, Calgary; J. E. Wright, town.

Victoria-A. Simmonds, A. Nelson, J. Roberts, Fort Saskatchewan; J. Poirier, Riviere Qui Barre.

Grandview-A. F. Richards, Nainao; P. Sillars, Lamoureux; Geo. H. Ryan,

S. Ryan, W. Donnan, Ray; C. E. Krapp, Leduc; A. Finsett, Northern; W. Smith, town.

Thursday

Queen's-P. H. Walsh, Riviere Qui Barre; W. F. Teslin, Bruderheim; M. Broseau, St. Albert; Fred W. Brown, Mrs. Harrison and child, Mrs. Martin and child, Calgary.

Alberta-C. W. Stuart, C. N. R. Jasper-Jacob Tenyrel, T. Norbert, J. F. Patnaude, J. Forrest, Morinville.

Victoria-D. Chournaud, Leduc; Geo. Black, Black Mud; J. W. Fleming, Ponoka.

Grandview-J. F. Ingram, Northern; O. E. Tomlin, W. H. Ellis, Wetaskewin; Chas. Sutton, Oregon city; A. W. Thomas, Lacombe; G. O. Hendrickson, H. Hendrickson, Bittern lake; D. McCordie, W. J. McCordie, Stony Plain; A. Finseth, Northern; George Livingston Kirkland, Scotland.

Cordwood Blockade

Free Press, Jan. 5.-Last night at midnight there were 344 cordons of cordwood or about 4,600 cords, lying in the C. N. R. yards. There were also about 300 cars in the C. N. R. yards and both roads have a cordwood blockade to deal with now in addition to other troubles on their hands. The blockade is not due to any fault of the railway, but is the result of inactivity on the part of the cordwood middlemen who neglect to unload the cars. With over 700 cords of wood lying in the yards there is a reasonable cause for hope that prices will take a drop before long.

Quebec Governorship

Quebec, Jan. 5.-It is reported that Justice Caron is about to be appointed lieutenant governor of the province of Quebec, vice Sir L. A. Jettie, whose term expires next February. Justice Langelier will then replace Caron as one of the judges of the superior court for the district of Quebec.

Hills Road at Lethbridge

Butte, Mont., Jan. 3.-A Great Falls special says the Great Falls and Canadian railroad went out of existence for night, being formally transferred to the Great Northern. This line taps the coal deposits of the Crow's Nest fields which will supply fuel for the roads of the Northern Securities company.

Changing Around

Toronto, Jan. 5.-John Lewis, who for ten years back has been chief editorial writer of the Globe and who has been acting editor since J. S. Willison resigned, has joined the editorial staff of the World. M. E. Nichols, late of the Telegram, has also joined the editorial staff of the World.

E. RAYMER'S JEWELRY STORE

Is still the centre of attraction for all kinds of

Holiday Goods.

Every description of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by skillful workmen.

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WATCHMAKER, JEWELER,
OPTICIAN.



WM. LOCKHART,
UNDERTAKER.

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I beg to submit the fourth annual report of the Woman's Aid Society of the Public Hospital.

Number of members one hundred and twenty-one (121).

Largest number present at any meeting twelve (12).

Membership fees collected one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125).

There were eleven regular and four special meetings held during the year.

Means of raising money during the year were as follows: Membership fees, three public and one lawn special donation from ladies of Methodist church instead of working, donation from Bethel church, Sturgeon; donation from Clover Bar raised at picnic, donation from ladies of Agriola district; donations from ladies of Edmonton instead of serving meals on grounds during sport days in July, one hall, donation from ladies of Union.

Thanksgiving services, concert by Strathcona musical society, receiving half donations by friends.

The first day of October was set apart as donation day to hospital, to continue so yearly. Donations were very liberal but ladies hope that as the day becomes more established the donations will greatly increase.

Instead of serving meals on grounds on sport days in July the ladies of the town were canvassed for subscriptions and secured two hundred and eighty-six dollars and sixty-five cents (\$286.65). Of this amount one hundred dollars was given by ladies of the Methodist church instead of working during the year.

Donations to hospital every month by friends have been very liberal indeed and the society take this opportunity of thanking all for their liberality.

A visiting committee from the society was appointed every month to visit hospital and have always been warmly welcomed.

A great deal of sewing has been done by the society for the hospital during the year.

The society has paid toward the principal of debt on hospital the handsome sum of one thousand and two dollars and fifty-five cents during this year.

The only regret that the ladies have to express is that the number who attend the meetings is so very small, but they sincerely hope that 1908 will see more ladies interested in the good work of the hospital.

The ladies take this opportunity of thanking the council for the use of the council chamber for meetings during the year.

MRS. FRED ROSS,

Secretary Public Hospital.

Treasurer's Statement for 1907.

January by bank cash, \$ 50.00

April by bank cash, 12.00

June by note, 202.50

September by note, 40.00

October by note, 100.00

November by note, 100.00

December by bank, 42.25

December by bank, 26.90

December by balance in bank, 39.39

\$1,221.59

Jan. 1st, balance in bank, \$ 31.02

February deposit, 126.10

March deposit, 103.00

April deposit, 173.65

May deposit, 101.00

June deposit, 103.00

July deposit, 65.00

August deposit, 96.30

September deposit, 73.95

October deposit, 108.25

November deposit, 159.15

November deposit interest, 3.79

December deposit, 100.50

\$1,221.59

Balance at Wapella

Wapella N. W. T. Jan. 1st, 1908.

Fire started in G. Mandell's shoe store about midnight which destroyed the store and contents.

The following buildings are also burned: R. A. Pears & Co's bank, J. S. Ludge's butcher shop, W. J. Win-

ning's clothing establishment, J. Fritchard's drug store, and Jubilee hall.

The Mandell hotel was badly gutted.

The loss is estimated at about \$15,000.

Wapella N. W. T. Jan. 1st, 1908.

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